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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Jean RANTRUA

Office of Petitions

Application No. 10/522,160

Filed January 24, 2005

TUBE ASSEMBLING DEVICE

**PETITION TO REVIVE AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §1.137(b)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 18, 2008

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the above-identified application, which was abandoned for failing to timely file corrected drawings, be revived under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.137(b).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge our credit card on the attached Credit Card Payment Form the required 37 CFR 1.17(m) small entity Petition fee of \$770 under fee code 2453.

A replacement drawing for Figure 2 showing stubs of connecting lugs 11 protruding from the half rings 8 with squiggly lines representing a break in the continuity of the broken part as suggested on page 2 of the Decision on Petition mailed April 18, 2008 is submitted herewith. The replacement sheet includes Figures 1 and 2 with Figure 1 being unchanged.

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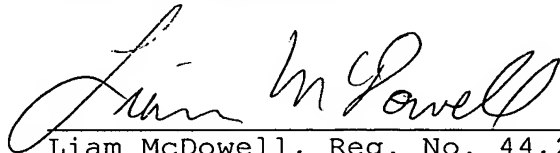
Applicant asserts that the entire delay in filing the required reply, from the date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b), was unintentional.

A favorable action on the Petition is respectfully requested. As the issue fee has already been paid, passage to issue is respectfully solicited.

Petitioner believes that no fee other than the above-noted Petition fee is due for the present petition. Nevertheless, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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